

**VIRGINIA:**

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING**

**IN RE:**

**SUSAN E. WHITE, L.P.N. APPLICANT**

**CONSENT ORDER**

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Susan E. White, as evidenced by her signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. White's application for licensure by examination to practice as a practical nurse in Virginia.

The Board adopts the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Susan E. White was issued Certificate No. 1401-052002 to practice as a nurse aide by the Virginia Board of Nursing on May 13, 1995. Said certificate expired on May 31, 1999.
2. Ms. White submitted an application for licensure by examination to practice as a practical nurse on July 18, 2011. Her primary state of residence is Virginia.
3. Susan E. White has the following misdemeanor convictions. Specifically:
  - a. On January 15, 2003, Ms. White was convicted of one count of petit larceny in the General District Court for the City of Norfolk, Virginia. She was sentenced to 12 months incarceration with all 12 months suspended. She received 60 hours of community service to be completed within one year; was ordered to keep the peace and remain on good behavior for two years and had to pay \$117.00 in costs. The costs were paid on January 15, 2003.
  - b. On June 29, 2010, Ms. White was convicted of one count of petit larceny in the Circuit Court for the City of Chesapeake, Virginia. She was sentenced to 12 months incarceration with 10 months suspended and was allowed to serve the 60 days of incarceration on weekends. She was required to take a

shoplifter's intervention program class and to keep the peace and be of good behavior for three years. She was required to pay \$250.00 in fines and \$238.00 in costs. All fines and costs were paid on June 29, 2010, and she was discharged from supervised probation on January 21, 2011.

4. While Ms. White received no complaints or disciplinary issued while a certified nurse aide. Her second criminal conviction occurred while she was in nursing school.

### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. Finding of Fact No. 3 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(4) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code").
2. Ms. White otherwise meets the requirements of § 54.1-3020 of the Code.

### **CONSENT**

Susan E. White, by affixing her signature hereon, agrees to the following:

1. She has been advised to seek advice of counsel prior to signing this document;
2. She acknowledges that without her consent, no legal action can be taken against her except pursuant to the Virginia Administrative Process Act, § 2.2-4000(A) *et seq.* of the Code;
3. She acknowledges that she has the following rights, among others: the right to an informal fact finding conference before the Board, the right to reasonable notice of said hearing, the right to representation by counsel, and the right to cross-examine witnesses against her;
4. She waives all such right to an informal conference;
5. She admits the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained herein and waives her right to contest such Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law in any subsequent proceeding before the Board;

6. She consents to the entry of the following Order affecting her application for licensure to practice practical nursing in Virginia.

**ORDER**

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing, the Virginia Board of Nursing, effective upon entry of this Order, and in lieu of further proceedings, hereby ORDERS as follows:

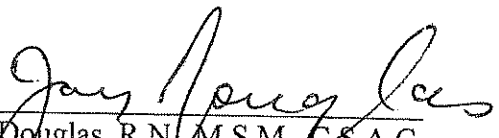
1. The application of Susan E. White for licensure by examination as a practical nurse is hereby APPROVED. Upon successful completion of the National Counsel Licensure Examination – Practical Nurse (NCLEX-PN), Ms. White shall be issued an unrestricted license to practice as a practical nurse.

2. Susan E. White, is hereby REPRIMANDED.

3. Ms. White shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a practical nurse commensurate with the requirements of § 54.1-3000 *et seq.* of the Code and the Board of Nursing Regulations.

Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4023 and 54.1-2400.2 of the Code, the signed original of this Order shall remain in the custody of the Department of Health Professions as public record and shall be made available for public inspection or copying upon request.

FOR THE BOARD

  
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Jay P. Douglas, R.N., M.S.M., C.S.A.C.  
Executive Director, Virginia Board of Nursing

ENTERED: September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2011

Certified True Copy

By   
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Virginia Board of Nursing

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

Susan E. White  
Susan E. White

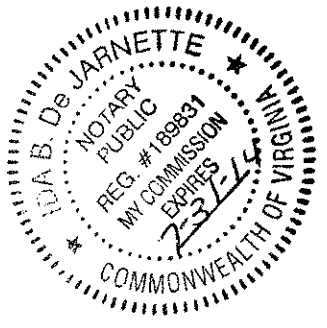
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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY/CITY OF Suffolk, TO WIT:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Ada B. De Jarnette a Notary Public, this 20 day of Sept, 20 11.

My commission expires 7-31-11.

Registration Number 189831.



Ada B. De Jarnette  
NOTARY PUBLIC